- 97. The combined solution of claim 95 wherein the surface acting agent is a cationic surfactant.
- 98. The combined solution of claim 95 wherein the surface acting agent is a nonionic surfactant.
- 99. The combined solution of claim 95 wherein the surface acting agent is an amphoteric surfactant.
- 100. The combined solution of claim 96 wherein the surface acting agent is SDS.
- 101. The combined solution of claim 97 wherein the surface acting agent is polymyxin B.
- 102. The combined solution of claim 95, wherein the surface acting agent is SDS and the photosensitizing agent is methylene blue

Remarks

Claims 1-102 remain pending in the application. Claims 1, 4, 7 - 12, 14, 15, and 18 have been amended herein. Claims 19 - 102 have been added herein. Enclosed please find a check in the amount of \$1098.00 for the additional claims. No new matter has been added by this amendment.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the pending claims and issue a Notice of Allowance thereon.

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Respectfully submitted,

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